

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of:

Alan M. ZAMORE

Art Unit: 1773

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Examiner: JACKSON, Monique R.

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**Amendment**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In response to the Office Action dated May 1, 2008, Applicants submit the following response and request reconsideration.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional fees are needed to prevent abandonment of this application, such fees and any other fee deficiency (including fees for net addition of claims) is hereby authorized to be charged, and any overpayments credited, to our Deposit Account No. 22-0261.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.